

TOMBSTONE EPITAPH

PUBLISHED EVERY SUNDAY.

RECORDS OF COCHISE COUNTY

Instruments Filed With the County Recorder

THE RECORDS GIVEN IN BRIEF

WARRANTY DEED

G R Wiley to A Bohn, Douglas prop. 900

C W Nagle to J B Speed, Douglas prop. 100

G E Wilcox to W B Dixon, Douglas prop. 10

E E Thompson to Mrs Ora Tarbell, Neo prop. 675

Q. C. DEED

W E Schwamm to E Balles et al, Douglas prop. 125

M F Weigel to T Blair, mines 1

ART. OF INCORP.

Consolidated Min Co of America

REALTY MORTGAGE

Aris & Mex Realty Co to M J Ferry, Douglas prop. 1500

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE

L Johnson to E D Hammack, Douglas prop. 10

M J Fletcher to R W Arthur, Douglas prop. 10

F L Williams to J Tonkovich, Douglas prop. 10

J H Slaughter to J H Fisher, Douglas prop. 10

CHattel MORTGAGE

W J Chills to F B Moon, Douglas prop. 800

land

WATER RIGHT

Mrs G Killough from 9-Mile Canyon, Douglas prop. 1060

Douglas Inv Co to V R Parker, Douglas prop. 600

MINING DEED

Sterling Cop Co to J C Hamlin, Douglas prop. 10

WARRANTY DEED

A Miel to O C Crook, Douglas prop. 415

S Acosta to W D Pierce, Douglas prop. 150

M J Donohoe to E P & S W E R Co, land. 3000

L M Mackay to F H Milich, Douglas prop. 100

F Fivory to C Olson, Douglas prop. 10

DEED

The McGuire Co to L M Mackay, Douglas prop. 550

PATENT

U S to Bisbee Extension Min Co, min prop. 10

BILL OF SALE

W W Stovall to G Hase, Douglas prop. 10

DECLARATION OF HOMESTEAD

E Ingraham, land. 10

REALTY MORTGAGE

R C Kelley to C V Slaughter, Douglas prop. 190

F T McKee to H Osterstrom, Bisbee prop. 400

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE

H J Merle to Airdome Theatre Co of Douglas, Douglas prop. 10

J Nelson to M Donahitt, Douglas prop. 10

WARRANTY DEED

B J McKinney to M G McNeely, land. 10

T Schweichler to Aris Meat Products Co, land. 10

DEED

Douglas Inv Co to E F Jones, Douglas prop. 375

Q. C. DEED

G G Arbuckle to J H Kenney, Bisbee prop. 10

CLAIM OF POSSESSORY RIGHT

E J McKinney, homestead. 10

WATER LOCATION

G G Bennett, water. 10

CHattel MORTGAGE

D R Bivocher to G H Kason, Douglas prop. 10

A FEW FACTS

In Protest of Any Legislation to Change Existing Laws on County Seat Removal

The desire for a change in the existing law for county seat removal was inspired by a number of real estate speculators in Cochise county with loud and exaggerated representations for a change to take advantage of existing temporary unfortunate industrial conditions at Tombstone.

The Danger of Proposed Change in the law lies in the fact that no county seat would be secure in any county of the state; no assurance of permanency could be vouchsafed and without the present restrictions, an agitation for county seat removal would be at the mercy of real estate speculators and rivalry of neighboring cities at any time with the attendant expense and election details.

The Purpose of the Original Law was to prevent non-resident railroads and corporations from participating in local efforts to move county seats. It preserves the essential features of Title XIII Chapter 1 Paragraph 372 of the Revised Statutes of 1887, passed pursuant to Congressional act of July 20, 1886, prohibiting passing of any local or special law respecting removal of county seats.

In Cochise County the County Seat has been located at Tombstone for 30 years, is centrally located, easily accessible, with good railroad service and it is represented that a change to the further and extreme end of the county near the border line, would be to the detriment of other sections of the county with its total area of 6,972 square miles.

Abandonment of Present Cochise county court house, constructed at an expense of \$150,000, would be a total loss in event of removal, and an indebtedness of from \$250,000 to \$500,000 incurred to construct new plant with consequent increase in tax.

The Temporary Closing of Tombstone mines calls attention to the fact that Bisbee, an aspirant for the county seat, is dependent wholly upon mining, and Douglas, another aspirant, is dependent largely upon Bisbee operations. If the mines of Bisbee should cease operations, the same conditions would exist in those towns which they seek now to take advantage of in Tombstone.

County Institutions Should Not be portable, especially in mining counties where a few years might create similar temporary situations at the point to which the county seat might be changed, resulting in a similar demand from some other town for the time being in more fortunate circumstances.

Arizona Delegates to Chicago

Governor Hunt has appointed three Arizona physicians as delegates to the National Congress of Alienists and Micrologists which will meet at Chicago on June 24, 25, 26 and 27 next. The delegates named are: Dr A C Kingsley, superintendent of the state hospital for the insane; Dr F W Randall, superintendent of Cochise county hospital; and Dr R. N. Looney, state superintendent of public health.

Organize Gun Club in Tombstone

Last evening at the City Hall, preliminary steps were taken in the organization of the Tombstone Gun Club. The meeting was well attended by a number of enthusiastic local citizens, who created what is to be one of the leading clubs of the state.

John W Walker was elected president and Wm. McSparron secretary-treasurer. Plans were discussed and mapped out for the erection of a gun house, etc., to be built as soon as the committee appointed to select suitable grounds make their report. The Club has a good, active membership, among whom are some old time "trapshooters."

At a very early date another meeting will be had, at which time the organization will be fully completed.

From Monday's Daily.

Mrs A L Healey of Fairbank, spent Sunday in Tombstone yesterday.

Easter services at the Tombstone churches were well attended yesterday and the impressive services of the joyous season, were appreciated and enjoyed.

H P Merrill of the Bank of Benson, returned to the Junction City today.

Floyd Smith left this morning for Charleston where he will locate.

Mrs M Davis - as an outgoing passenger for Tucson last evening on a visit with friends.

BORN - In Tombstone, March 24, 1913, to the wife of W F Murry, a son.

Assistant County Attorney Alex Murry is over from Bisbee on official business.

Keith Davey, son of Conductor G R Davey, of the Tombstone-Benson branch, was a brief Tombstone visitor today. Keith is center fielder on the victorious and yet undefeated University baseball team. The student team won from Douglas yesterday by a score of 7 to 2, adding to their list of winnings.

Constable Bailey of Lowell is in Tombstone today, circulating among his county seat friends.

Attorneys J F Ross and Frank Dean returned to Douglas yesterday after attending legal matters here.

A G Newman was in the city yesterday from Bisbee.

August Baron was a returning passenger from Douglas yesterday where he was on mining business.

Col Charles Fardon, who has gained fame and renown as head of the Cochise Board of Strategy on the war situation on the Cochise border, is in the only Tombstone today. From this vantage ground the Colonel is enabled to reconnoiter very successfully. Several local war celebrities will be added to his staff and the war will proceed uninterrupted.

Bowman Stephens, a Douglas International carrier boy, aged 14, was hurried to El Paso last night to the Pasteur institute to be treated for rabies. He was recently bitten by a dog belonging to J F Barnett, 1030 Fifteenth street. Dr Randall had the canine killed and sent the skull to El Paso, receiving the reply that the dog was affected.

Marriage Licenses Recently issued

So far this month the blues ticket market of Cochise county has been gaining steadily over last month in the issuance of marriage licenses and from all appearances no slump is anticipated by Dan Cupid, who is endeavoring to corner the market against Old Man Divorce, who has been somewhat inclined of late to cause a flurry in the market, and from all appearances, Dan Cupid is holding his own, as will be evidenced from the licenses issued during the past two weeks, making a total of ninety-three issued so far this year.

Recent licenses were issued as follows: Victor Fajana to wed Hilma Rosenlund, both of Lowell.

James T Bassett of Bisbee to wed Nellie Sheets of Leadville.

Yedro Benitez to wed Lucy Brown, both of Douglas.

John A Brady of Tucson to wed Carmen Spence of Douglas.

Ercole Barbary to wed Marie Combelles, both of Bisbee.

Thomas Jefferson Sykes of Douglas to wed Mary Elizabeth Schlessinger of Denver, Colo.

Louise H Boeking to wed Pearl Armstrong, both of Bisbee.

T M Skoog of Lowell to wed Ester Anderson of Bisbee.

J F Thayer to wed Josephine Mulhead both of Bisbee.

Andrew O Kude to wed Mamie M McFarland, both of Douglas.

J L Hilton to wed Minnie Davis, both of Bisbee.

Imari Perutia to wed Anna Harullo, both of Bisbee.

Albert B Cooper to wed Clara V M Thorning, both of Bisbee.

Ben F Golding of Douglas to wed Hortense E Ritter of Lowell.

Roy Workman to wed Annie Sproule both of Lowell.

James A Duncan to wed Helen A Holmes, both of Bisbee.

From Tuesday's Daily

Judge M J Brown and wife of Bisbee, were incoming passengers today on a brief visit.

J M O'Connell, the popular Douglas attorney, is in the city on legal business.

Mrs Katherine Bullock, a former Tombstone resident, and who was then Miss Katherine Barr, is in the city on an indefinite stay. Mrs Bullock is a refugee from Cananea, being among the American women that were rushed from that point at the first sign of danger. According to advice received by Mrs Bullock from her husband, who is in Cananea, there is no great danger for Americans and non-combatants. During her stay here, she is the guest of Mrs S J Robinson.

The condition of Chief of Police George Bravin is reported as much improved, which is pleasing news to his many friends.

L D Perkinson, the popular shirt man, is a Tombstone visitor today on his regular business trip.

R M Henry, special agent of the E F & S W, was an arrival this morning in the interests of his company.

W K Meade, returned this morning from Patagonia where he is interested in some valuable claims. He reports much enthusiasm in that district and is expected that it will soon be among the largest copper producers in the state.

Douglas Gray, accompanied by his wife and son, returned this morning from El Paso, where they were on a brief visit with relatives and friends in the Pass City.

Report on Industrial School Removal

That the state reform school, now located at Benson, should be removed to Fort Grant in the same county, is the recommendation made by the legislative committee which has been investigating reform school conditions, and which has made its report to the house of representatives. The committee report is signed by all members so far as it relates to conditions at Benson, but Assemblyman Jacobson does not concur in the proposed removal of the school to Fort Grant. Mr Jacobson made a minority report as follows:

"I concur in the report given below as to the statements set forth, but do not endorse the recommendation for the removal of the school to Fort Grant."

Miami Copper Co. Violates 8-Hour Law

District Attorney Norman Johnson of Gila county has filed suit for the state against the Miami Copper company, which he charged had violated the eight hour law relating to the employment of men at hazardous occupations. The suit demanded damages in the amount of \$1500.

Fifteen causes of action are relating in the complaint, which is based on the employment, it is charged, of three men in the copper company's power plant on 12-hour shifts. Five violations of the law in connection with the employment of each man in the power plant are charged.

Petitions for Advisory Vote

Petitions are being circulated in Phoenix addressed to Governor Hunt, asking him to call a special election for an advisory vote for federal judge. The petitions have already received hundreds of signatures and so widespread has become the movement that the two Democratic newspapers which were recently abused by a committee when they advocated an advisory election, have been forced to recognize public sentiment and are again advocating a popular choice for federal judge. They now propose to extend it to United States Marshal and United States Attorney. Petitions have been sent all over the state and it is reported that they are receiving many signatures.

Doings in the State Legislature

TUESDAY

BY THE GOVERNOR

The following bills were signed by the governor and will now become laws:

S B 18—The medical bill.

S B 79—To provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of union county high school's.

S B 66—To provide for building a bridge across the Colorado at Needles.

Governor Hunt notified both houses that he had approved and signed H B 21, by Craig of Cochise, regulating the practice of dentistry in the state.

SENATE

Bills introduced in senate:

S B 169—By Senator Hubbell of Apache. An act protecting women in their employment, prescribing the hours of labor and a minimum wage.

S B 170—By code committee, regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors and elections.

S B 171—By committee on public lands, providing for the sale of certain granted lands of the state.

S B 191—By Senator Roberts; an appropriation to cover the salaries and expenses of the Northern Arizona Normal for the deficit in 1912.

S B 173—By Hughes, providing for public defenders in certain counties of the state.

S B 174—By Hughes by request, to define certain diseases.

S B 175—By Davis of Maricopa, providing for a board of visitors consisting of three women to visit the state institutions and to expend \$500 per year in so doing.

S B 176—By Breen of Coconino, authorizing cities and political subdivisions to increase their indebtedness for certain purposes.

S B 177—By Lovin of Mohave, regulating the use of checks in the payment of wages.

S B 178—By Wood of Maricopa, regulating the rates, tolls and charges of public service corporations.

S B 179—By Roberts of Cochise, a further bill relating to appropriations.

H B 95—By code revision committee, an act to prescribe the period within which civil actions may be brought in the courts of this state, and to provide limitations for the bringing of such actions.

H B 96—By the committee on code revision, an act to require certain contracts to be in writing, and to define the effect thereof and to provide for the setting aside of fraudulent transfers and conveyances.

H B 97—By code revision committee, to prescribe the qualifications of jurors to provide for the selection and drawing of jurors, and the manner of summoning and challenging jurors and the formation of juries.

H B 98—By Drennan of Yuma, an act to provide for the sinking of an experimental artesian well for water in the Hargua Hills, Cullison, Granite Wash or Pecos Valley in Yuma, Arizona, for the encouragement of agriculture in the arid sections of the state.

S B 79—By Hughes of Yavapai to amend Sec 1 of Chap 66 of the laws of the regular session of the first legislature of the state of Arizona. An act to amend Par 2904 (Sec 25) of Chap II, Title 40, revised statutes of Arizona 1901, relating to liens; and to submit said amendment to the people of Arizona, to be voted upon at the next general election after the passage of this act.

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HOUSE

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Three code bills were introduced in the house. No 95 relates to civil actions, No 96 to contracts, No 97 to jurors and juries.

The county and county affairs committee recommended that Senator C B Wood's general county division bill be passed, but with some vital amendments. One was that the number of voters required of a proposed new county be reduced from 750 to 400. Another was that where 60 per cent of the voters of the new county vote for division, only 15 per cent of the votes in that part of the old county to be left need be affirmative. The percentage in the bill sent over from the senate were sixty and thirty.

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for marriage licenses to furnish health certificates was passed.

S B 135, by Wessel, providing that physicians examining insane persons shall be paid what the superior judge thinks proper, up to \$25 a case, was passed without division.

C B Wood introduced the minimum wage law for employees of public service corporations, excepting railroads. It is more than this. The corporation commission is directed to look into the wages paid such employees, especially when fixing rates. No employer shall work more than eight hours a day, nor shall he be paid less than 25 cents an hour.

THURSDAY

SENATE

Bills introduced in the senate.

S B 180, by Senator H R Wood of Yavapai. Relating to the duties of the state auditor requiring that a budget be prepared for each session of the state legislature.

S B 181, by the code committee. The provisions of the initiative and referendum and recall now on the statutes as embodied in the new code.

S B 182 by Senator C B Wood of Maricopa. Permitting the state departments to proceed to dispossess persons on school land when same shall be needed by the state.

Senate Concurrent resolution, by Senator W W Pace, of Graham, condemning policy of conservation as expensive and dangerous.

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